



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231  
www.uspto.gov



Bib Data Sheet

CONFIRMATION NO. 1753

<b>SERIAL NUMBER</b> 09/818,612	<b>FILING DATE</b> 03/28/2001 <b>RULE</b>	<b>CLASS</b> 705	<b>GROUP ART UNIT</b> <del>2161</del> 3623	<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.</b> 205266US2SRD
<b>APPLICANTS</b> Hideki Kobayashi, Yokohama-shi, JAPAN; <b>** CONTINUING DATA *****</b> <i>None</i> <b>** FOREIGN APPLICATIONS *****</b> <i>Verified CMC</i> JAPAN 2000-099876 03/31/2000 JAPAN 2001-055525 02/28/2001				
<b>IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED ** 05/03/2001</b>				
Foreign Priority claimed <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no 35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance Verified and Acknowledged <i>CMC</i> Examiner's Signature Initials		<b>STATE OR COUNTRY</b> JAPAN	<b>SHEETS DRAWING</b> 26	<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b> 25  <b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b> 20
<b>ADDRESS</b> 22850				
<b>TITLE</b> Method and apparatus for aiding product life cycle planning and computer program product therefor				
<b>FILING FEE RECEIVED</b> 2160	<b>FEES:</b> Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:		<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees ( Filing ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees ( Processing Ext. of time ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees ( Issue ) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Credit	